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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROSECUTION - GROUP ART UNIT 1797

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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
TAKAHIRO SUGIYAMA ET AL.) : Examiner: Dean P. Kwak
Application No.: 11/537,140) : Art Unit: 1797
Filed: September 29, 2006) : Confirmation No. 9989
For: BIOCHEMICAL PROCESSING)
APPARATUS PROVIDED WITH)
LIQUID TRANSPORT)
MECHANISM : July 14, 2009

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Sir:

A. Introductory Comments

In response to the Office Action dated April 14, 2009, please amend the above-captioned application as follows and consider the following remarks.

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